CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

1. A method for fabrication of a luminaire, comprising the steps of:

selecting a pattern evocative of an association on the part of an intended user of the luminaire with a person, place or thing; and,

forming the pattern on at least certain surfaces of the luminaire, said pattern being visible to the user on use of the luminaire in a normally intended manner.

- 2. The method of claim 1 wherein the pattern is a diamond tread plate pattern.
- 3. The method of claim 1 wherein the luminaire is a shoplight.
- 4. The method of claim 3 wherein the pattern is a diamond tread plate pattern.
- 5. The method of claim 4 wherein the shoplight comprises a housing portion and at least one reflector portion.
- 6. The method of claim 5 wherein the housing portion and the reflector portion are integrally formed.
- 7. The method of claim 6 wherein the material comprising the housing portion also comprises the reflector portion.

- 8. The method of claim 2 wherein the thing is a motor sport activity.
- 9. A luminaire comprising:

surfaces visible to a user on ordinary operation of the luminaire; and,

a pattern formed on at least portions of the surfaces of the luminaire, the pattern being evocative of an association on the part of a user with a person, place or thing.

- 10. The luminaire of claim 9 wherein the pattern is a diamond tread plate pattern.
- 11. The luminaire of claim 10 wherein the thing is a motor sport activity.
- 12. The luminaire of claim 11 wherein the luminaire is a shoplight.
- 13. The luminaire of claim 9 wherein the luminaire comprises a housing portion and at least one reflector portion.
- 14. The luminaire of claim 13 wherein material comprising the housing portion also comprises the reflector portion.
- 15. The luminaire of claim 14 wherein the housing portion and the reflector portion are integrally formed.

- 16. The luminaire of claim 15 wherein the material comprising the housing portion also comprises the reflector portion.
- 17. The luminaire of claim 9 wherein the luminaire has at least one lamp and lamp holders mounting the lamp, the lamp holders being colored a color reminiscent of an activity association with the pattern.
 - 18. The luminaire of claim 16 wherein the color is black.